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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1094.
 - \$774 for 43 total claims over 20.
 - \$320 for 4 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1224.

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Sir:

In reply to the Notice mailed August 28, 2001, a Declaration signed by the inventor(s) and identifying the application by the name of the inventor and filing date is submitted herewith, together with a copy of the Notice and a check for \$1,224 that includes the amount of \$130 for the fee under 37 CFR 1.16(e), \$774 for the fee under 37 CFR 1.16(c) and \$320 for the fee under 37 CFR 1.16(b).

Respectfully submitted,

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